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Art Unit : 3679
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Appln. No. : 10/061,699
Applicants : Scott C. Young et al.
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Dear Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY
EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT
APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed August 13, 2003, finally rejecting claims 1-20.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of:

☒ other than a small entity
☐ small entity

Verified Statement

☐ attached
☐ previously submitted on

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2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

☐ small entity
☒ other than a small entity

Notice of Appeal fee due: **\$330.00**

3. EXTENSION OF TIME

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136 apply.

Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Extension fee due with this request: **\$ 0.00**

4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee: \$330.00
Extension fee (if any): \$ 0.00

Total Fee Due: \$330.00

5. FEE PAYMENT

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☐ Charge Account No. 16 2463 the sum of \$
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6. FEE DEFICIENCY

If any additional extension and/or fee is required, please charge Account No. 16-2463.

Respectfully submitted,

SCOTT C. YOUNG ET AL.

By: PRICE, HENEVELD, COOPER,
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